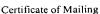
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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R §1.53 is the patent application of: Jhy-Jhu Lin, Jianqing Lan and Nacrya Assad-Garcia

entitled: AUXINIC ANALOGUES OF INDOLE-3-ACETIC ACID

PATENT TRADEHARK OFFICE

Enclosed are:

48 pages of written description, claims and abstract.

13 sheets of formal drawings.

 $\frac{X}{X}$ an assignment of the invention to Life Technologies, Inc., including Recordation Form Cover Sheet and check for

true copy of declaration of the inventors and power of attorney.

a certified copy of a application.

associate power of attorney.

a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27.

information disclosure statement.

preliminary amendment

other:

CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
BASIC FEE			\$710	\$ 710
TOTAL CLAIMS	60 - 20 =	40	x \$18	720
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6 -3 =	3	x \$80	240
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			x \$270	0

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X Benefit of Prior U.S. App n(s) (35 USC 120)

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 120 to the following application(s):

08/758,416, filed 29 November 1996 08/430,209, filed 27 April 1995

X Benefit of Prior U.S. Provisional Application(s) (35 USC 119(e))

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 119(e) to the following application(s):

60/007,770, filed 30 November 1995

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